



Dorsey Traw Mission Report August and September, 2013

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,.

Ecclesiastes 3:1, "To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the Heaven"

A Pictorial Report...

A special Chiang Mai Bible School opens in Chiang Mai. This was suggested by the leaders in two established Karen congregations. Two students from the Banaglang congregation have been baptized. They are Kampi and Ekaporn from the oldest Karen congregation founded in 1991.



Picture # 1

The Third Bible student, Songran, was sent to study here by his uncle who graduated from Chiang Mai Bible School in 1990. The Maetia Karen congregation is located in the Mae Hong Sorn Province. We are thankful for the Karen Tribal Christians who love the word of God and are willing to obey it.



Picture # 2

Brother Moon and his Grandson, Manu, became charter members of the Chiang Rai congregation in the 1970's. Bro. Manu later became the first student in the Chiang Mai Bible School. After he preached in Chiang Rai one year, I performed his wedding ceremony. ***In August, 2013---25 years later, Nick, Manu's son, a first year university student, asked to be baptized. His older sister, Nute, a teacher, and a Christian, was present. A family of great faith from a Christian great grandfather to a Christian great grandson---three generations of Christians in a country where 95% follow Buddhism.



Picture # 3

A Bible memorial for Perry Cotham (1912-2013) will continue to distribute Bibles in Thai, Karen and other languages in his beloved memory. I am donating Karen Bibles at the U.N. Mae La refugee camp in Tak Province. There are seven such camps along the border between Burma and Thailand.



Picture # 4

In conclusion, as Ecclesiastes 3:1 reads, "To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose". God has blessed our family over fifty-two years in preaching the Bible in this Buddhist land, and as God's purpose and time comes about and if it be His will, we will leave Thailand around June, 2014 to live in America once again.

Your support and encouragement mean so much. Thanking God for you.

In Christian Love,
Dorsey & Ola Traw